



MONTANA METHODISTS

They Will Begin Their Conference Meeting To-Day.

HISTORY OF THE CHURCH

Programme of the Conference-Work To Be Done by This Session - The Anaconda Church.

ON AUGUST 4TH, 1726, so far as there is any record, the catch-pole was used for the last time in Wurzburg, Bavaria.

It was a cheerful and gentle and caressing instrument. The prisoners, about whose necks it was adjusted, found it inconvenient to cut up any capers while they were being conducted to jail, because of a double row of sharp spikes with which it was armed.

We Are Selling Them!

\$15.00.

Why not? Most men know a good thing when they see it.

Here's another good opportunity. We've more good bargains in Suits for the same cause, viz: Broken sizes and lots. We want to close them. \$15.00 is the price. Value twenty-five to fifty per cent greater.

\$15.00.

Madras Shirts selling at \$1.50. All styles and sizes.

GANS & KLEIN,

Main Street, - BUTTE.

ABOUT THE CITY.

T. M. Smith returned from Butte yesterday noon.

J. K. Mallory returned from the Big Hole yesterday.

Sheriff Quigley returned to Deer Lodge yesterday afternoon.

The Anaconda Lodge of Elks initiated two new members last evening.

The tennis club has resumed practice, and some lively games may be seen at the club grounds these evenings.

The brick yards are running at their utmost capacity. Nearly 8,000,000 bricks will be turned out this season.

Hee Quinn's bear is recuperating at Gregson's. He is in training for a ring contest that will occur next month.

Michael Mahoney, a ranchman from Helmville, is at St. Ann's hospital undergoing an operation upon his eyes.

Attention is called to the fact that the morning train that has heretofore left Anaconda at 8:10 now leaves five minutes earlier.

Mother Josephine and Sister Mary Bridget of the Helena convent, who have been visiting in the city, returned home yesterday.

The old Anaconda House on Front street, one of the first buildings erected in the city, is to be torn down or removed to make room for a three story brick building.

The street commissioner reports that property owners are keeping the alleys unusually clean this month, and that there is little cause to fear the spread of disease from that source.

The managers of the Gregson Springs resort are overhauling the buildings and surroundings and are making every effort to make the springs the popular resort for Anaconda people.

Main street, between Third and Fourth streets, is in very bad shape. There are stones enough on the surface to wall a cellar. If the street commissioner would spend a day on this part of the street his efforts would be appreciated by those who are compelled to travel there.

The Anaconda firemen will not retain their championship unless they settle down to practice soon. Not a single practice meeting of the fall team has been held, and the Butte team is daily training. The boys seem to feel overconfident, and this feeling will certainly cost them their laurels unless they do some steady practice work.

There is considerable complaint from those who have attempted to drive to Carroll recently and have taken the road down the valley. The high water of June washed out all the bridges and no attempt has yet been made to repair them. Neither has any notice been posted to warn the unwary and there is nothing to prevent a stranger from driving off the bank into the creek.

Mike Mullen has refitted his saloon on the corner of First and Cedar street, and turning it into a 5-cent beer hall. He will sell Milwaukee beer hereafter for 5 cents, with free lunch nights.

Plunge bath, 220 Park avenue, open day and night.

tion address by Bishop Walden on the Free-men's Aid and Southern Education Societies.

FRIDAY, AUG. 5.

8:30 a.m., business session.
2 p.m., committee meeting.
8 p.m., addresses by Rev. Dr. Himes and Bishop Walden.

SATURDAY, AUG. 6.

8:30 a.m., business session.
2 p.m., missionary service sermon by Rev. W. B. N. Coombs.

2:30 p.m., Ladies' meeting at Presbyterian church, in charge of the Women's Board of Missions, addressed by Mrs. Walden & others.

8:30 p.m., Preaching service, Sermon on Church Extension and the Sunday School Union.

SUNDAY, AUGUST 7.

9:30 a.m., Love Feast.
10:30 a.m., Preaching service. Sermon by Lieutenant Governor Richards and J. W. Bennett.

7:30 p.m., Ordinations.

8:30 p.m., Eworth League. Brief addresses by Rev. Dr. Ralfeigh and Rev. J. C. Stull.

8:30 p.m., Preaching service. Sermon to be announced.

MONDAY, AUGUST 8.

8:30 a.m., Business session.
2:30 p.m., Memorial services.

IT IS A DANDY.

Last night a group of firemen gathered in front of the fire engine house, discussing the new hose cart that arrived yesterday.

The new cart stood in the street beside the dingy little red one that the boys have so often victoriously dragged down the race course, and completely overshadowed the smaller cart, which is now to be relegated to the background.

But the little cart will always occupy a large place in the affection of the men, for they regard it as a sort of mascot, and are not altogether willing to give it up.

The new cart is a magnificent one, and it is always a credit to itself in one's own fault. Its wheels are nickel plated and are 6 feet 3 inches in diameter. The whole cart is finished in nickel and red and, from the nickel handles in front to the tool box behind, it is a masterpiece of workmanship.

It is of the class known as the "Spider" race and weighs 350 pounds. Every part of it is strong and light and the machine is a model one.

The boy took a trial spin with the new cart later in the evening, and all that was visible to spectators was a streak of light as the wheels dashed down the street.

AN EXCURSION TO HELENA.

The Anaconda employee of the Montana Union railway have arranged an excursion to Helena, for August 13. This is the date of the State Wheelmen's parade and the National Encampment of the Sons of Veterans will be in session at Helena. People who are not interested in either of these attractions will be able to find amusement at the State Fair and the Helena race meeting.

The excursion train will leave Anaconda at 7:30 a.m. and will arrive at the Hotel Broadway at 10 o'clock. The round trip tickets will cost \$2.50 and can be purchased at the Smith Drug Co.'s or at Lou Burnett's. The executive committee having charge of the excursion are M. J. Foley, W. W. Weaver and H. R. Burgh, from whom tickets may be obtained as well as at the stores mentioned above.

THEATRICAL NOTES.

Donnelly and Girard's "Natural Gas," which will shortly illuminate the town, requires no recommendation. It is simply the purest light of merriment that has yet been turned on anywhere, and in its bright refuge, fun, tuneful singing, nimble dancing and laughter-provoking situations, dull care is driven far out of sight.

Each year "Natural Gas" has come to us brighter and more sparkling, and this year

Manager Samuel P. Cox has imprisoned a whole company of sunbeams that make "Natural Gas" as brilliant as the sun itself.

Many clever songs and dances have been added, the scenery is entirely new, and the play is brimful of wholesome, good-natured fun that makes anyone feel happy a whole week after having seen it.

At Evans opera house to-night. Seats for

the Smith Drug company.

A DASTARDLY ACT.

One of the most despicable of sacrileges was reported yesterday as having been perpetrated at the city cemetery. It appears that certain women and children are in the habit of despoiling the graves of the cut flowers and growing plants that are placed there by friends of the dead.

Some of these despoilers are known and unless the practice is stopped retribution will follow.

A lady drove to the city yesterday from her home nine miles down the valley, to place some flowers on the grave of her child. She found that the mound of the grave had been disturbed, and that some flowers that she had planted there had been taken up and removed. People with no more respect and sentiment than this have no right in a civilized community.

SPRINGING CONTEST.

Local athletic circles have been considerably excited for two days over the 100-yard dash that occurred yesterday afternoon.

The contest was for a purse of \$20, and the participants were two unknowns, one representing Idaho's athletes and the other a local runner.

Pools were sold freely before the race, and the local sprinter had it all his own way. When the contestants appeared the friends of the Idaho man were encouraged and he became favorite in the pools.

Two professional gentlemen acted as officers of the course, and a good start was obtained. But Idaho was not in it.

Montana forged ahead at the start and won easily in 11.35. Idaho's time not

was reported to be 11.45.

Rev. G. C. Stull followed Rev. Stickelman and enlarged and improved the parsonage property during his pastorate.

Rev. Bro. Ingerson succeeded to succeed him in 1881, and remained two weeks. The appointment was then left vacant until the present pastor, Rev. P. Lowry, came three years ago, under whose pastorate the beautiful church in which the Montana conference is to convene was built, and who improved and enlarged the parsonage property. He has also brought the appointment to a high standing among the charges of the conference.

The growth of the Montana conference has been rapid, with the great development of the wonderful state in which its work has been performed. In 1880 the writer was appointed superintendent of the Montana Mission.

At that time Brothers Confort, Duncan, Van Orsdel, Slipper and Shannon constituted the membership of the mission. Behold the growth in these 12 years. With 53 ministers whose fields stretch from Pocatello on the south to the British possessions, and from Glendale to Sand Point. With proper facilities for the further development of the growing fields this number will double within the next quadrennium.

The recent general conference organized a new mission in North Montana, where the Great Northern and its branches are achieving the same wonderful developments which the Northern Pacific and Union Pacific have done for Southern Montana. Ever long Methodism in its onward conquests will reach every section of this great land. It is needless to say that the pioneers of this region have duly appreciated the sacrifice and toil of the daring men and their heroic wives and have cooperated with them in the great achievements of the church, many who are not members greatly encouraging by their means and hospitality the important work.

The work of the conference began yesterday, with the examination of candidates for ordination, and an informal preaching service preceded by a service was held at the Methodist church last evening.

Rev. P. Lowry welcomed the visitors to the city in well chosen words, and Rev. J. W. Bennett delivered an eloquent sermon. The singing last evening was enthusiastic and inspiring.

The programme for the session has been arranged as follows:

THURSDAY, AUG. 5.

8:30 a.m., opening of conference, sacrament of the Lord's Supper, business session.

2 p.m., committee meetings.

8 p.m., address by Rev. Dr. Collins on Edu-

THE WATER WORKS.

A SATISFACTORY TEST WAS MADE YESTERDAY.

THE RESERVOIR RUNNING OVER.

Whatever else may be said of Anaconda, no one ventures to deny the fact that this city has the best system of waterworks in the state. The quality of the water supplied to the city is unsurpassed and the peculiar situation of the reservoir affords an unequalled pressure for fire and manufacturing purposes.

Yesterday afternoon the fire service received a thorough inspection. Every hydrant was examined and all "dead ends" of the mains thoroughly washed out. At 1:30 yesterday afternoon a gauge was attached to one of the Main street hydrants and the available pressure was determined. The time selected was when the force of the water is at its lowest point during the day, on account of water being used at that time for domestic purposes.

The pressure was attached to the hydrant as a line of hose would be, and the water turned on gradually. The index at once shot around to 90 pounds, and then gradually turned to 95, where it remained almost stationary for 10 minutes.

A test made later in the day, when less water was being used at the foundry and at residences, indicated a pressure of 118 pounds, which is the pressure that can be depended upon at night. The day pressure is double the fire pressure in Chicago, and is greater than that of any other Montana city's service exceeds.

The supply of water this year is greater than ever before, and thousands of gallons are running to waste at the reservoir. In addition to this waste, an escape valve is kept open all day at the end of the main near Barrett & Jacky's warehouse, where a two-inch stream is steadily flowing.

McCarthy's Mishaps.

The famous Ferguson and Mack company, which comprises an aggregation of talent seldom seen in farce comedy, will present at Evans opera house Monday evening next, the skit, "McCarthy's Mishaps," which lovers of this form of amusement never seem to tire of, and they should not, as it is one of the most laughable comedies that has ever been presented, illustrating the mishaps of two Irishmen, whose greatest object in life is to spend the fortunes they have amassed in seeking pleasure for themselves and friends. While in pursuit of this, complications of the funniest order arise, and the specialties which are introduced incidentally are built upon them.

In speaking of the performance an exchange says: The first performance in this city of "McCarthy's Mishaps" was given last evening by a rattling good comedy company. There are three acts which serve simply to keep the actors from falling off the stage and to give them a couple of breathing spells to recuperate. The second and third acts are so completely full of fun and good speech acts that it would take a column of space to do as well by the performers as they did by the audience. Everybody applauded to the echo and demanded a repetition of nearly all the numbers. In the final act the boys brought out a hearty and profuse that the audience actually becomes tired out. The comedy will be repeated to-night and to-morrow afternoon and evening.

REMOVED.

Choice groceries, provisions and fine wines, liquors and cigars, fruits and confectionery in his own building.

JOHN D. ROM,
407 East Park Avenue.

George Barich can furnish you with tickets to cross the ocean by any of the following lines, for which he is the Anaconda agent, viz.: The Cunard, the North German Lloyd and Red Star. He can also supply you with European exchange. Call on him at 414 East Park avenue if you want to cross the pond.

Plunge bath, 220 Park avenue, open day and night.

Six bottles of California claret or the same of Milwaukee beer for \$1 delivered to any part of the city or Carroll by Devine, the First street grocer.

DO NOT FAIL TO CALL AND EXAMINE THE VARIOUS ASSORTMENT OF INDIAN BASKETS AT KING & KENNEDY.

FOR RENT—Two large furnished rooms; very reasonable; Dwyer block, over Leader clothing store.

WANTED AT RED BRICK YARD, MOLDERS, SETTERS AND BRICKYARD MEN IN GENERAL, AT ONCE.

IF YOU WANT TO KEEP WELL DURING THIS HOT WEATHER TAKE A PLUNGE BATH EVERY DAY.

DR. GUTELINS, DENTIST, OFFICE OVER SMITH DRUG CO'S STORE.

PLUNGE BATH, 220 PARK AVENUE, OPEN DAY AND NIGHT.

DR. MCGILLIGAN, ANACONDA, AUG. 2, 1892.

MR. MULLIGAN'S CARD.

Tell Tom Berry to look at the Review in the morning and see what is in it.

JAMES MCGILLIGAN,
Anaconda, Aug. 2, 1892.

HORSES AND MULES FOR SALE.

I have a lot of work horses and mules, also some small horses and mule-suspects for packing which I will sell very cheap. Inquire of J. T. Carroll, Butte or Anaconda, Mont.

LOST.

A roan horse and roan mare; horse 12 years, mare 8 years old. Mare branded with wagon wrench, horse branded with triangle. Reward of \$10 paid for return to Merriman house.

REMOVAL.

I have removed my office from First street to the building occupied by the Rocky Mountain Telegraph on Main street.

CHARLES HOUCK.

RAGS WANTED.

At the STANDARD office. Good clean cotton or linen rags.

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